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ROADSIDE SAFETY CHECK – JEFFERSON PARK (16th) DISTRICT

The Chicago Police Department will conduct a Roadside Safety Check in the Jefferson Park (16th) District. The Roadside Safety Check will commence at 7:00 p.m. on Saturday, December 4th, 2015 and end at 3:00 a.m. on Sunday, December 5th, 2015.

During roadside safety checks, police officers slow down traffic, stop cars at regular intervals and watch for drivers who show signs of alcohol impairment and other violations as noted below.

This program is conducted year round to ensure drivers are operating their vehicles safely. This is part of an ongoing strategy to keep the city streets safe for Chicago's residents and commuters.

The Roadside Safety Check conducted at the intersection of North Avenue and Albany Avenue in the (14th) District on November 20 – 21, 2015 resulted in the following:

Driving Under the Influence	6
Driver's License Violations	12
Unsafe Vehicle Violations	6
Insurance Violations	5
Traffic Violations (Other)	5
Total Citations	34
Other Arrests	0
Vehicles Towed	6

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